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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 11, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendment and remarks. The three month response date falls on April 11, 2005. The Terminal Disclaimer Fee of \$130.00 may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-2392. No other fees are believed to be due. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or §1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-2392.

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